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Applicant(s): Robert J. von GUTFELD et al.

Serial No.: 09/917,087

For: METHOD OF SEALING TWO SUBSTRATES WITH A NON-EPOXY OR

EPOXY-ACRYLATE SEALANT USING LASER RADIATION

Enclosed are the following:

Transmittal letter (1 page); and Response With Amendment (13 pages)

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application, and the following:

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No additional filing fee is required.

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| CLAIMS AS AMENDED | | | | | | |
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| (1) | (2) Claims Remaining After Amendment | (3) | (4) Highest Number Previously Paid For | (5) Extra Claims | (6) Rate | (7) Fee |
| Total Claims (Small Entity) | 14 | | 24 | 0 | 18.00 (9.00) | 0 |
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Respectfully submitted,

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